# **BEARFACTS** 1994 – 2004 Gove , Kansas [20063]

Gove is one of 105 counties in Kansas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2004 population of 2,803 ranked 92nd in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2004 Gove had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$23,738. This PCPI ranked 73rd in the state and was 77 percent of the state average, \$30,995, and 72 percent of the national average, \$33,123. The 2004 PCPI reflected a decrease of 11.5 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 4.0 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of Gove was \$21,693 and ranked 15th in the state. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 0.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2004 Gove had a total personal income (TPI) of \$66,539\*. This TPI ranked 92nd in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1994 the TPI of Gove was \$69,286\* and ranked 84th in the state. The 2004 TPI reflected a decrease of 13.5 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 4.3 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was - 0.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Gove. In 2004 net earnings accounted for 54.0 percent of TPI (compared with 63.2 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 21.9 percent (compared with 21.1 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 24.1 percent (compared with 15.8 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings decreased 15.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 19.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts decreased 1.4 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings decreased on average 1.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent remained unchanged; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.9 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Gove decreased from \$45,336\* in 2003 to \$39,813\* in 2004, a decrease of 12.2 percent. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$48,484\* to the 2004 estimate was - 2.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.0 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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